#### Union Calendar No. 116

116TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

### H.R. 205

[Report No. 116-156]

To amend the Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act of 2006 to permanently extend the moratorium on leasing in certain areas of the Gulf of Mexico.

#### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

January 3, 2019

Mr. ROONEY of Florida (for himself and Ms. CASTOR of Florida) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

July 16, 2019

Additional sponsors: Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Gaetz, Mr. Diaz-Balart, Mr. Rutherford, Mr. Bilirakis, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Posey, Mr. Gallagher, Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Mast, Mr. Soto, Mr. Crist, Mr. Hastings, Mr. Harder of California, Ms. Lee of California, Mr. Cartwright, and Mr. Himes

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Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

#### A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Protecting and Secur-
- 5 ing Florida's Coastline Act of 2019".
- 6 SEC. 2. PERMANENT EXTENSION OF MORATORIUM ON
- 7 LEASING IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE GULF
- 8 **OF MEXICO.**
- 9 Section 104(a) of the Gulf of Mexico Energy Security
- 10 Act of 2006 (43 U.S.C. 1331 note) is amended by striking
- 11 "Effective during" and all that follows through "the Sec-
- 12 retary" and inserting "The Secretary".

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